



# Dr. Ahmad Shahidov

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## Website, Portfolio, Profiles

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## Professional Summary

Was born on August 31, 1982 in the Gakh region of Azerbaijan.

Made numerous speeches and reports at the OSCE, PACE, UN and other influential international organizations and world leading TV Channels such as Al Jazeera, Sky News, Al Arabiyya, TRT World, TRT Arabia, ANews and etc. on the protection of Azerbaijan's national interests, especially Azerbaijani refugees and internally displaced persons, as well as Azerbaijani captives and hostages.

Author of 6 books, periodically publishes socio-political articles in the press.

Fluent in Turkish, Russian and English. Married and have two children.

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## Education

- 06/2014 **Bachelor of Science, Law, Russian Academy of Public Administration, Moscow**
  - 06/2008 **Ph.D., Russian And Azerbaijani Philology, Baku Slavic University, Baku**
  - 06/2005 **M.D., Russian Philology, Baku Slavic University, Baku**
  - 06/2003 **Bachelor of Science, Russian Language And Literature, Baku Slavic University, Baku**
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## Work History

12/2018 - Current

### Coordinator

#### **Information Center for Azerbaijani Captives and Hostages, Baku, Azerbaijan**

To protect the rights of Azerbaijanis missing and taken hostage during and after the First Karabakh War, to raise the issue of Azerbaijani hostages in international organizations, in particular the OSCE, the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, the European Parliament and the UN Office in Geneva and to draw international attention to Armenian vandalism.

06/2014 - Current

### Director

#### **Azerbaijan Institute for Democracy and Human Rights, Baku, Azerbaijan**

Contribute to the development of democratic institutions and the provision of

human rights in Azerbaijan, the recognition of the realities of Azerbaijan in international organizations and the protection of the rights of Azerbaijanis suffering from the Armenian occupation, especially captives, missing and hostages.

02/2013 - 06/2014

**General Secretary**

**TURSAM Center for Strategic Studies, Baku, Azerbaijan**

As the head of TURSAM, I have participated in international events and conferences in Turkey, Northern Cyprus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan and other Turkic-speaking autonomous republics, and made numerous speeches on the need for the Turkish Union.

05/2011 - 10/2012

**Assistant of Member of Parliament**

**Milli Majlis (Parliament) of the Republic of Azerbaijan, Baku, Azerbaijan**

To organize meetings of the MP with the voters, to carry out administrative work on the reception of citizens and the solution of their problems.

09/2008 - 06/2009

**Teacher on International Relations**

**Baku Slavic University, Baku, Azerbaijan**

I have read lectures on international relations at the Master's level of the University.

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**Languages**

**Azerbaijan:** Native language

**Turkish:** C2



Proficient

**Russian:** C2



Proficient

**English:** C2



Proficient

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**Skills**

Decision Making

Report Preparation and Analysis

Motivational Leadership

Friendly and Relatable

Administration and Operations

Research and Analysis

Multitasking and Prioritization

Maintenance Coordination

Program Development

Leadership and Change Management

Flexible and Adaptable

Critical Thinking

Self-Motivated

Analytical and Critical Thinking

Problem-Solving

Planning and Coordination